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1. Nationalist forces hold a bridgehead on the north bank of the Yangtze directly across from Chinchiang, about forty miles east of Nanking.
2. The commanding officers of the Nationalist forces wish to defect to the Communists, but their subordinate officers refuse to do this. The two groups of officers are now fighting each other.
3. There is no Communist attack as has been reported in the newspapers.

Comment. For sometime the local press has reported Communists attacking  
the Nationalists in this area.

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